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EDUCATION

University of Maryland Baltimore County

Master's in Data Science 2022 - 2024

Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Bachelor's in Computer Science Engineering 2018 - 2022

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Web Technologies: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap

Languages: Java, Python

Version Control: Git

ETL Tools: Apache Airflow, AWS Glue, Informatica Cloud Platforms: AWS (Redshift, S3, EMR, Lambda)

Data Visualization Tools: Tableau, Power BI

Database: MySQL, PostgreSQL, SQL Server, Oracle, MongoDB

Data Modeling: Dimensional modeling, Star/Snowflake Schema, ER Diagrams

Big Data Frameworks: Hadoop, Apache Spark, MapReduce, Hive

Machine Learning: Supervised learning (regression, classification), unsupervised learning

(clustering, dimensionality reduction), Neural Networks, Data Mining

Libraries: Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Keras,

Statsmodels, NLTK, spaCy, PyTorch

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SForce Corp.

Data Engineer

Texas

July 2023 – Present

- Managed large-scale data storage and retrieval from AWS S3, optimizing storage and ensuring efficient data accessibility for large datasets across distributed systems.
- Designed and implemented ETL pipelines using Apache Airflow, AWS Glue, and Informatica, to automate data extraction, transformation, and loading from multiple sources, including SQL databases, external APIs, and unstructured data.
- Developed and optimized data management processes, reducing data processing time for reporting and analytics by 30%.
- Launched and configured over 50 AWS EC2 instances, ensuring tailored security and networking settings, while administering scalable EMR clusters for processing data volumes of up to hundreds of gigabytes.
- Maintained service scalability, adapting to fluctuating demands (30-40% monthly) using AWS Glue to orchestrate ETL workflows for data volumes between 100GB to 1TB.
- Automated complex workflows using Apache Airflow, integrating AWS Lambda and Redshift, improving operational efficiency by 30% and streamlining end-to-end data processing.
- Developed and maintained real-time data processing pipelines using Kafka and Spark Streaming, enabling immediate availability of insights for critical business operations.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to develop dashboards and reports using Tableau and Power BI, ensuring real-time insights for decision-making and data security through AWS IAM for access control.
- Utilized version control systems (e.g., Git, GitHub) and implemented CI/CD pipelines to efficiently deploy and maintain data infrastructure changes with high reliability.
- Supported database maintenance and optimization across multiple systems, performing data validation checks and resolving discrepancies to ensure data quality and performance.
- Implemented data modeling techniques, such as Dimensional Modeling, Star/Snowflake Schema, and ER Diagrams, to design robust data architectures for improved querying and reporting.
- Leveraged Big Data frameworks like Hadoop, Apache Spark, MapReduce, and Hive to manage and process large-scale datasets, driving key business insights.

India Jan 2022 – Jun 2022

- Collaborated with data scientists to provide clean, structured datasets for machine learning model training, leveraging ETL workflows to automate data preparation and integration.
- Utilized cloud-based monitoring tools such as AWS CloudWatch to track system performance, proactively identifying issues and minimizing downtime in the data infrastructure.
- Contributed to capacity planning and resource optimization, reducing cloud infrastructure costs by optimizing S3 storage classes and EC2 instance usage.
- Assisted in the development of automated testing suites for data pipelines, ensuring data quality and accuracy through validation and consistency checks before deployment.
- Optimized query performance for large-scale datasets by tuning SQL queries and indexing strategies, improving response times for critical analytics reports.
- Contributed to schema evolution for databases and data lakes, ensuring backward compatibility while adapting to evolving data models and business requirements.
- Tested and validated data pipelines to ensure they met performance benchmarks and followed best practices for error handling and minimizing failure points.

Verzeo Edutech Pvt. Ltd

India Apr 2021 – Jun 2021

Data Science Intern

- Assisted in gathering, cleaning, and preprocessing large datasets using Pandas and NumPy for various data analysis tasks and machine learning models, ensuring high data quality and readiness for analysis.
- Developed and implemented predictive models using Python and libraries such as Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, and Keras to identify trends and support data-driven decision-making, including both supervised (regression, classification) and unsupervised (clustering, dimensionality reduction) learning techniques.
- Conducted exploratory data analysis (EDA) utilizing Matplotlib and Seaborn to uncover patterns and relationships in the data, providing actionable insights and visualizations to the team.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to deliver impactful data visualizations and dashboards using Tableau and Power BI, enhancing the accessibility of data insights for stakeholders.
- Presented findings and insights to key stakeholders, enabling better strategic decisions based on data, and leveraging insights drawn from data mining techniques.
- Contributed to the continuous enhancement of classification models through iterative refinement and hyperparameter tuning, culminating in a notable 15% increase in classification accuracy by utilizing advanced techniques such as neural networks and ensemble methods.

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Flight Delay Analysis and Prediction | Apache PySpark, MongoDB, Tableau

- Utilized Apache Spark with MongoDB to analyze and predict flight delays based on historical data and weather patterns.
- Identified airlines with the most delays and potential causes and developed a Tableau dashboard for visual delay analysis.

Road Accident Severity Prediction Project | Python, Flask, AWS

- The goal of this project is to create an application that can assess and predict the level of severity for any road accidents.
- This project involves training a predictive model by balancing the historical accident data using SMOTE technique.
- Built and deployed a Flask-based web application on AWS EC2 for real-time road accident severity assessment.

Stock vs Crypto Price Prediction | Python, Time Series Forecasting, Long Short-term Memory (LSTM)

- Executed a comparative analysis predicting BTC-USD and S&P 500 stock prices using ARIMA and LSTM models.
- Applied statistical tests, differencing techniques, and autocorrelation analysis to ensure accurate modeling by stationarizing time series data.
- Demonstrated LSTM's superior forecasting performance over ARIMA, providing actionable insights for informed investment decisions that led to a 90% improvement in portfolio performance.

Research Paper

Blind Assistance System with Object Detection and Navigation

May 2022

- Developed an object detection system with voice assistance using OpenCV and a pre-trained SSD model on COCO datasets for real-time object recognition.
- Implemented audio feedback via Pyttsx3 for object identification and obstacle warnings, creating a portable solution for visually impaired users.
- Submitted a research paper in GIS Science Journal under the ISSN No: 1869-9391.

CERTIFICATIONS

- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner
- Java Fundamentals Oracle